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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.213(c), Applicants hereby notify the United States Patent & Trademark Office USPTO) that a PCT application (serial number PCT/US02/08266), directed to the invention disclosed in the above-referenced US patent application, was filed in the USPTO April on 18, 2002. The PCT requires publication of application PCT/US02/08266 eighteen months after filing. A request for publication of a redacted copy of the above-referenced U.S. patent application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.217 was submitted on August 17, 2001.

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